



ORDERED in the Southern District of Florida on April 30, 2014.

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**Paul G. Hyman, Chief Judge
United States Bankruptcy Court**

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
WEST PALM BEACH DIVISION
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In re:

Chapter 11

PALM BEACH FINANCE PARTNERS, L.P.,
PAL BEACH FINANCE II, L.P.,

Case No.: 09-36379-PGH
Case No.: 09-36396-PGH
(Jointly Administered)

Debtors.

**ORDER AUTHORIZING THE EMPLOYMENT AND RETENTION
OF KEVIN O'HALLORAN, NUNC PRO TUNC TO MARCH 19, 2014**

THIS CAUSE came before the Court on April 29, 2014 at 9:30 a.m. upon the Liquidating Trustee's *Application to Employ Kevin O'Halloran* (the "**Applicant**") *nunc pro tunc to March 19, 2014* [ECF No. 2225] (the "**Application**"). Upon the representations that the Applicant (i) is duly qualified, (ii) holds no interest adverse to the Liquidating Trustee or the Debtors' estates in the matters upon which he is engaged, (iii) is a disinterested person as required by 11 U.S.C. § 327(a), (iv) has disclosed any connections with parties set forth in *Fed.*

R. Bankr. P. 2014, and (v) his employment is necessary and would be in the best interests of the Debtors' estates and their creditors, it is

ORDERED as follows:

1. The Application is **GRANTED**, *nunc pro tunc* to March 19, 2014.
2. The Liquidating Trustee is authorized to retain the Applicant as a consultant (expert) pursuant to 11 U.S.C. §§ 327, 330 and 331, and the terms set forth in the Application.
3. Applicant is entitled to monthly interim compensation for fees and expenses incurred and shall, no less frequently than once every four (4) months, submit applications to the Bankruptcy Court for final approval of same.
4. The "Pro Rata Allocation Formula" is the proper methodology to allocate Applicant's fees and expenses between the two estates.

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Attorney James C. Moon is directed to serve copies of this Order on all parties in interest and to file a Certificate of Service.